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Corn

Based on September 1, 2019 conditions, production of corn for grain production in Idaho is forecast at 24.0 million bushels, down 17 percent from 2018. Harvested area, at 120,000 acres, is down 15,000 acres from 2018. Yield is expected to be 200 bushels per acre, down 10 bushels from August 1, 2019 and down 13 bushels from 2018. Corn for grain production in Washington is forecast at 16.0 million bushels, down 14 percent from 2018. Harvested area, at 80,000 acres, is down 5,000 acres from 2018. Yield is expected to be 200 bushels per acre, down 10 bushels from August 1, 2019, and down 20 bushels from 2018.

Sugarbeets

Idaho sugarbeet production is forecast at 6.67 million tons, up 1 percent from 2018 production. Harvested area, at 166,000 acres, is up 3,000 acres from 2018. Yield is expected to be 40.2 tons per acre, down 0.7 tons from August 1, 2019, and down 0.3 ton from 2018. Oregon sugarbeet production is forecast at 380,000 tons, up 4 percent from last year. Harvested area, at 9,700 acres, is up 400 acres from 2018. Yield is expected to be 39.2 tons per acre, up 0.8 ton from August 1, 2019 yield, but down 0.2 ton from 2018. Washington sugarbeet production is forecast at 96,000 tons, up 10 percent from 2018 production. Harvested area, at 2,000 acres, is up 200 acres from 2018. Yield is expected to be 48.2 tons per acre, up 1.5 tons from August 1, 2019, and unchanged from 2018.

Dry Edible Peas

Idaho dry edible pea production is forecast at 648,000 cwt. Harvested area is forecast at 27,000 acres with yield expected to be 2,400 pounds per acre. Washington dry edible pea production is forecast at 1.73 million cwt. Harvested area is forecast at 72,000 acres with yield expected to be 2,400 pounds per acre.

Lentils

Idaho lentil production is forecast at 396,000 cwt, down 10 percent from 2018 production. Harvested area, at 33,000 acres, is down 1,000 acres from 2018. Yield is expected to be 1,200 pounds per acre, down 100 pounds from 2018. Washington lentil production is forecast at 702,000 cwt, down 1 percent from 2018 production. Harvested area, at 61,000 acres, is up 2,000 acres from 2018. Yield is expected to be 1,150 pounds per acre, down 50 pounds from 2018.

Small chickpeas

Idaho small chickpeas production is forecast at 306,000 cwt, down 68 percent from 2018 production. Harvested area, at 19,900 acres, is down 41,800 acres from 2018. Yield is expected to be 1,540 pounds per acre, down 10 pounds from 2018. Washington small chickpeas production is forecast at 381,000 cwt, down 68 percent from 2018 production. Harvested area, at 24,900 acres, is down 44,900 acres from 2018. Yield is expected to be 1,530 pounds per acre, down 200 pounds from 2018.

Large chickpeas

Idaho large chickpeas production is forecast at 871,000 cwt, down 5 percent from 2018 production. Harvested area, at 67,500 acres, is down 4,000 acres from 2018. Yield is expected to be 1,290 pounds per acre, up 10 pounds from 2018. Washington large chickpeas production is forecast at 1.35 million cwt, down 32 percent from 2018 production. Harvested area, at 82,500 acres, is down 37,000 acres from 2018. Yield is expected to be 1,630 pounds per acre, down 20 pounds from 2018.

Field Crop Area Harvested, Yield, and Production — Idaho, Oregon, Washington, and United States: 2018 and Forecasted September 1, 2019

	Area ha	rvested		Yield per acre	Production		
State	2018	2019	2018	20	19	2018	2019
	2016			August 1	September 1		
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(units)	(units)	(units)	(1,000 units)	(1,000 units)
Corn for grain (bushels)							
Idaho	135.0	120.0	213.0	210.0	200.0	28,755	24,000
Washington	85.0	80.0	220.0	210.0	200.0	18,700	16,000
United States	81,740.0	82,017.0	176.4	169.5	168.2	14,420,101	13,799,151
Sugarbeets (tons)							
Idaho	163.0	166.0	40.5	40.9	40.2	6,602	6,673
Oregon	9.3	9.7	39.4	38.4	39.2	366	380
Washington	1.8	2.0	48.2	46.7	48.2	87	96
United States	1,095.4	1,116.7	30.3	31.1	30.0	33,145	33,547

Field Crop Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, and Production — Idaho, Oregon, Washington, and United States: 2018 and Forecasted September 1, 2019

[Includes updates to planted and harvested area previously published.]

State and crop	Area planted		Area harvested		Yield per acre		Production	
	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)
Dry edible peas ¹								
Idaho	8.0	28.0	7.6	27.0	2,300	2,400	175	648
Oregon ²	6.5	(NA)	6.3	(NA)	2,000	(NA)	126	(NA)
Washington	52.0	73.0	51.0	72.0	2,500	2,400	1,275	1,728
United States	856.5	1,097.0	807.9	1,046.0	1,972	2,131	15,929	22,289
Lentils								
Idaho	35.0	34.0	34.0	33.0	1,300	1,200	442	396
Washington	60.0	62.0	59.0	61.0	1,200	1,150	708	702
United States	780.0	481.0	718.0	459.0	1,171	1,428	8,408	6,553
Small chickpeas 3 5								
Idaho	62.0	20.0	61.7	19.9	1,550	1,540	956	306
Washington		25.0	69.8	24.9	1,730	1,530	1,208	381
United States	222.7	106.0	219.6	103.3	1,489	1,723	3,270	1,780
Large chickpeas 4 5								
Idaho	72.0	68.0	71.5	67.5	1.280	1,290	915	871
Washington	120.0	83.0	119.5	82.5	1,650	1,630	1,972	1,345
United States	636.9	339.2	623.2	333.7	1,520	1,616	9,472	5,394
All chickpeas								
Idaho	134.0	88.0	133.2	87.4	1,400	1,350	1.871	1,177
Washington	190.0	108.0	189.3	107.4	1,680	1,610	3,180	1,726
United States	859.6	445.2	842.8	437.0	1,512	1,642	12,742	7,174

(NA) Not available.

¹ For 2018, excludes both wrinkled seed peas and Austrian winter peas. For 2019, wrinkled seed peas and Austrian winter peas included.

² Estimates discontinued in 2019.

³ Chickpeas smaller than 20/64 inches.

⁴ Chickpeas larger than 20/64 inches.

⁵ Beginning in 2019, chickpeas are excluded from dry edible beans.

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